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RE: Gilt Edge Mine Site
Lawrence County, South Dakota

Dear Ms. Ramage:

Enclosed are documents we received from the Hartford Insurance Company and Continental Insurance Company in response to information request letters. Please note that these documents are subject to confidential business claims and should be kept confidential and managed as confidential records. Let's talk once you have had a chance to look through these. Please call me at (303) 312-6904 if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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cc: Stephen Keim, OSRE w/o enclosures